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**REPLY I**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2006, a response to which is due October 23, 2006, with a two-month extension of time, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

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Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	13	MINUS	22	0	x 25 =	x 50 =
Independent Claims	4	MINUS	6	0	x 100 =	1 x 200 =
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid						
Total						\$0

- ☒ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a two-month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☐ Enclosed is our Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ Please charge the required fee of \$450.00, and any additional fee(s) required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. VISAP026).

Respectfully submitted,  
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